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PREFACE

The following list presents convention dates and host cities for conventions of national unions, State AFL-CIO affiliates, and professional and State employee associations. It was compiled by the Division of Industrial Relations, Office of Wages and Industrial Relations, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

By responding to questionnaires and special inquiries, cooperating labor organizations provide the information from which these listings are compiled. Those organizations which had decided upon convention dates and locations by February 17 have complete listings.

An alphabetical index of unions, with shortened titles, appears at the end of the listing.

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Independent Unions		
Atlantic Independent Union.....	Atlantic City, N.J.	January 18-20
National Football League Players Association.....	Orlando, Fla.	January 26-30
FEBRUARY		
AFL-CIO		
Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters.....	Rosemont, Ill.	February 28
MARCH		
AFL-CIO		
National Marine Engineers' Beneficial Association.....	Miami, Fla.	March 20
Independent Unions		
International Die Sinkers' Conference.....	Canton, Ohio	March 16-19
State Bodies		
Louisiana AFL-CIO.....	Baton Rouge, La.	March 13-15
Texas State AFL-CIO.....	Houston, Tex.	March 13-14
APRIL		
AFL-CIO		
American Radio Association.....	Los Angeles, Calif.	April 24-28
Independent Unions		
Federal Plant Quarantine Inspectors National Association.....	Las Vegas, Nev.	April 3-7
International Union of Guards and Watchmen, Inc.....	Fresno, Calif.	April 16-21

Organization	Place	Date(s)
Associations		
Civil Service Employees Association, Inc. (New York State).....	Albany, N.Y.	April 3-4
Independent Minnesota Associa- tion of Government Employees <u>1</u> /.....	St. Paul, Minn.	April
State Bodies		
Pennsylvania AFL-CIO.....	Pittsburgh, Pa.	April 11
Arkansas State AFL-CIO.....	Hot Springs, Ark.	April 15
MAY		
AFL-CIO		
Professional Air Traffic Controllers Organization (Marine Engineers).....	Las Vegas, Nev.	May 8-12
Distillery, Rectifying, Wine and Allied Workers' International Union of America.....	Los Angeles, Calif.	May 15-19
Retail, Wholesale and Depart- ment Store Union.....	Bal Harbour, Fla.	May 29-June 6
Independent Unions		
Physicians National Housestaff Association.....	Washington, D.C.	May 4-7
United Retail Workers Union.....	Arlington Park, Ill.	May 6
Christian Labor Association of the United States of America...	Willmar, Minn.	May 11
Great Lakes Licensed Officers' Organization.....	Manistee, Mich.	May

Organization	Place	Date(s)
Associations		
Wyoming Public Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Buffalo, Wyo.	May 11-12
Alaska Public Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Juneau, Alaska	May 20-21
State Bodies		
New Jersey State AFL-CIO.....	Atlantic City, N.J.	May 1-4
Mississippi AFL-CIO.....	Jackson, Miss.	May 8-10
Arizona State AFL-CIO.....	Prescott, Ariz.	May 11-12
JUNE		
AFL-CIO		
Screen Actors Guild (Actors and Artistes).....	Los Angeles, Calif.	June 10
Communications Workers of America.....	San Francisco, Calif.	June 12-16
International Brotherhood of Pottery and Allied Workers (Seafarers).....	New Orleans, La.	June 12-16
Laundry and Dry Cleaning International Union.....	Pittsburgh, Pa.	June 12-14
United Hatters, Cap and Millinery Workers International Union.....	Stroudsburg, Pa.	June 12-14
American Federation of Musicians.....	Spokane, Wash.	June 18-21
American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees.....	Las Vegas, Nev.	June 26-30
The Newspaper Guild.....	Detroit, Mich.	June 26-30
American Federation of Television and Radio Artists (Actors and Artistes).....	Chicago, Ill.	June 27-July 2
Italian Actors Union (Actors and Artistes).....	New York, N.Y.	June

Organization	Place	Date(s)
Independent Unions		
United Allied Workers International Union.....	Warsaw, Ind.	June 3-4
National Association of Aeronautical Examiners.....	Jacksonville, Fla.	June 5-9
National Hockey League Players' Association.....	Malaga, Spain	June 5-9
Brotherhood of Utility Workers of New England, Inc.....	Hyannis, Mass.	June 15-17
National Association of Planner-Estimators, and Progressmen.....	Reno, Nev.	June 26-30
National Association of Government Inspectors and Quality Assurance Personnel.....	Jacksonville, Fla.	June 27-30
Associations		
Colorado Association of Public Employees <u>1</u> /.....	Vail, Colo.	June 2-3
American Association of University Professors.....	New Haven, Conn.	June 9-10
American Nurses' Association.....	Honolulu, Hawaii	June 9-14
New Jersey State Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Atlantic City, N.J.	June 13-16
American Association of Classified School Employees.....	Monmouth, Ore.	June 21-24
State Bodies		
Oregon AFL-CIO.....	Seaside, Ore.	June 5-9
Indiana State AFL-CIO.....	Indianapolis, Ind.	June 7-9
South Dakota State Federation of Labor.....	Sioux Falls, S.D.	June 8-10
Idaho State AFL-CIO.....	Boise, Idaho	June 19-21
Ohio AFL-CIO.....	Cleveland, Ohio	June 20-22

Organization	Place	Date(s)
JULY		
AFL-CIO		
Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees.....	Hollywood, Fla.	July 10-14
Upholsterers' International Union of North America.....	Atlantic City, N.J.	July 13-21
International Federation of Professional and Technical Engineers.....	Honolulu, Hawaii	July 24-29
Railroad Yardmasters of America.....	Seattle, Wash.	July 24-27
United Glass and Ceramic Workers of North America.....	Cincinnati, Ohio	July 24-28
Brotherhood of Railway Carmen of the United States and Canada.....	San Francisco, Calif.	July 30 - August 13
National Association of Letter Carriers of the United States of America.....	Chicago, Ill.	July 30 - August 4
Sheet Metal Workers' International Association.....	St. Louis, Mo.	July 31 - August 4
Independent Unions		
International Mailers Union.....	Des Moines, Iowa	July 8-12
Associations		
National Education Association.....	Dallas, Tex.	July 1-6
Overseas Education Association, Inc. (National Education Association).....	Dallas, Tex.	July 1-6
Alabama State Employees Associa- tion <u>1</u> /	Huntsville, Ala.	July 6-8

Organization	Place	Date(s)
Nebraska Association of Public Employees 1/.....	Lincoln, Neb.	July 15
State Bodies		
California Labor Federation.....	San Francisco, Calif.	July 10-14
Michigan State AFL-CIO.....	Dearborn, Mich.	July 23-26
AUGUST		
AFL-CIO		
International Typographical Union...	Springfield, Ill.	August 5-11
American Federation of Government Employees.....	Chicago, Ill.	August 6-11
Barbers, Beauticians, and Allied Industries, International Association.....	Las Vegas, Nev.	August 6-11
American Postal Workers Union.....	Denver, Colo.	August 13-19
International Association of Fire Fighters.....	Las Vegas, Nev.	August 14-18
Bakery and Confectionery Workers' International Union of America....	Las Vegas, Nev.	August 16-22
Tile, Marble and Terrazzo Finishers and Shopmen International Union.....	Las Vegas, Nev.	August 20-24
American Federation of Teachers.....	Washington, D.C.	August 21-25
International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees and Moving Picture Machine Operators of the United States and Canada...	Hollywood, Fla.	August 28 - September 1
Independent Unions		
National Association of ASCS County Office Employees.....	Portland, Ore.	August 2-5

Organization	Place	Date(s)
National Alliance of Postal and Federal Employees.....	Atlantic City, N.J.	August 6-12
National Association of Postal Supervisors.....	Milwaukee, Wisc.	August 7-11
National Rural Letter Carriers' Association.....	Indianapolis, Ind.	August 7-11
National League of Postmasters of the United States.....	New York, N.Y.	August 28 - September 1
Federation of Postal Security Police.....	UNDECIDED	August
Association		
Assembly of Governmental Employees..	New Orleans, La.	August 10-12
State Bodies		
West Virginia Labor Federation, AFL-CIO.....	Charleston, W. Va.	August 3-4
Iowa Federation of Labor.....	Waterloo, Iowa	August 9-11
Montana State AFL-CIO.....	Helena, Mont.	August 10-12
Nevada State AFL-CIO.....	Las Vegas, Nev.	August 11-13
Virginia State AFL-CIO.....	Roanoke, Va.	August 21-23
New York State AFL-CIO.....	Kiamesha Lake, N.Y.	August 28-31
Washington State Labor Council, AFL-CIO.....	Spokane, Wash.	August 28-31
SEPTEMBER		
AFL-CIO		
The American Railway and Airway Supervisors Association.....	Chicago, Ill.	September 7-9
Graphic Arts International Union....	Washington, D.C.	September 18-23

Organization	Place	Date(s)
International Union of Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers....	Toronto, Ont., Canada	September 18-22
United Steelworkers of America.....	Atlantic City, N.J.	September 18-22
Amalgamated Clothing and Textile Workers Union.....	Los Angeles, Calif.	September 25-29
Independent Unions		
National Federation of Federal Employees.....	Tucson, Ariz.	September 11-15
International Die Sinkers' Conference.....	Erie, Pa.	September 14-17
Machine Printers and Engravers of the United States.....	UNDECIDED	September 16
United Electrical, Radio, and Machine Workers of America.....	Toronto, Ont., Canada	September 18-22
Writers Guild of America, East, Inc.....	New York, N.Y.	September 21
Writers Guild of America, West, Inc.....	Los Angeles, Calif.	September 21
National Industrial Workers Union <u>2</u> /.....	Rock Island, Ill.	September
American Watch Workers Union <u>2</u> /.....	Las Vegas, Nev.	September
Associations		
Idaho Public Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Boise, Idaho	September 7-9
North Carolina State Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Winston-Salem, N.C.	September 8-9
Ohio Civil Service Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Cleveland, Ohio	September 13-17
Arizona Public Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	UNDECIDED	September 15-16
Maine State Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Bangor, Me.	September 15-16

Organization	Place	Date(s)
Michigan State Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Grand Rapids, Mich.	September 15-17
Utah Public Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Salt Lake City, Utah	September 15-16
Vermont State Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	UNDECIDED	September 15-16
Washington Public Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Olympia, Wash.	September 15-17
North Carolina State Government Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Ashville, N.C.	September 21-23
Montana Public Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Missoula, Mont.	September 22-23
Connecticut State Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Hartford, Conn.	September 27-30
Maryland Classified Employees Association, Inc. <u>1</u> /.....	Ocean City, Md.	September 27-29
State Bodies		
North Carolina State AFL-CIO.....	UNDECIDED	September 6-8
North Dakota AFL-CIO.....	Fargo, N.D.	September 7-9
South Carolina Labor Council, AFL-CIO.....	Myrtle Beach, S.C.	September 7-9
Missouri State Labor Council.....	Kansas City, Mo.	September 10-13
Florida AFL-CIO.....	Orlando, Fla.	September 18-21
Illinois State AFL-CIO.....	Chicago, Ill.	September 18-21
Connecticut State Labor Council, AFL-CIO.....	Hartford, Conn.	September 20-22
Utah State AFL-CIO.....	Salt Lake City, Utah	September 20-22
Vermont State Labor Council, AFL-CIO.....	Burlington, Vt.	September 22-24

Organization	Place	Date(s)
Colorado State Labor Council.....	Denver, Colo.	September
OCTOBER		
AFL-CIO		
International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers.....	Atlantic City, N.J.	October 2-6
International Chemical Workers Union.....	Las Vegas, Nev.	October 2-6
United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America.....	St. Louis, Mo.	October 2-6
United Rubber, Cork, Linoleum and Plastic Workers of America.....	Toronto, Ont., Canada	October 8-14
United Slate, Tile and Composition Roofers, Damp and Waterproof Workers Association.....	Bal Harbour, Fla.	October 15-20
Industrial Union of Marine and Shipbuilding Workers of America.....	Miami, Fla.	October 16-19
National Association of Broadcast Employees and Technicians.....	Toronto, Ont., Canada	October 16-20
United Cement, Lime and Gypsum Workers International Union.....	Houston, Tex.	October 16-20
Air Line Pilots Association.....	Bal Harbour, Fla.	October 30 - November 3
National Association of Air Traffic Specialists (Air Traffic Controllers).....	Las Vegas, Nev.	October 31 - November 2
Independent Unions		
Civilian Technicians Association....	Denver, Colo.	October 11-14

Organization	Place	Date(s)
Associations		
National Federation of Licensed Practical Nurses.....	Louisville, Ky.	October 1-6
North Dakota State Employees Association.....	Grand Forks, N.D.	October 5-6
New Hampshire State Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Bretton Woods, N.H.	October 7-8
Oregon State Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Portland, Ore.	October 18-21
Connecticut Employees Union <u>2</u> /.....	Hartford, Conn.	October 19
California State Employees' Association <u>1</u> /.....	Los Angeles, Calif.	October 21-23
State Bodies		
Minnesota AFL-CIO.....	Duluth, Minn.	October 1-4
Wisconsin State AFL-CIO.....	Green Bay, Wisc.	October 9-12
Georgia State AFL-CIO.....	Savannah, Ga.	October 25
Massachusetts State Labor Council...	Boston, Mass.	October 30 - November 2
NOVEMBER		
AFL-CIO		
Flight Engineers' International Association.....	San Francisco, Calif.	November 6-9
Association of Flight Attendants (Air Line Pilots).....	Miami, Fla.	November 13-19
DECEMBER		
AFL-CIO		
Screen Extras Guild (Actors and Artists).....	Los Angeles, Calif.	December 3

Organization	Place	Date(s)
Independent Unions		
Patent Office Professional Association.....	Arlington, Va.	December 7
Associations		
Illinois State Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	Springfield, Ill.	December 2-3
Indiana State Employees Association <u>1</u> /.....	UNDECIDED	December 9

1/ Affiliated with the Assembly of Governmental Employees.

2/ Affiliated with the National Federation of Independent Unions.

Organizations known to be holding conventions in 1978 for which information was not available:

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Seafarers' International Union of North America
Atlantic, Gulf, Lakes and Inland Waters District

Independent Unions

Congress of Independent Unions
International Union of Tool, Die and Mold Makers
National Association of Aeronautical Production Controllers
National Basketball Players Association
National Brotherhood of Packinghouse and Industrial Workers
Pacific Log Scalers Association

State Bodies

Alabama Labor Council
Alaska State Federation of Labor
Hawaii State Federation of Labor
Kentucky State AFL-CIO
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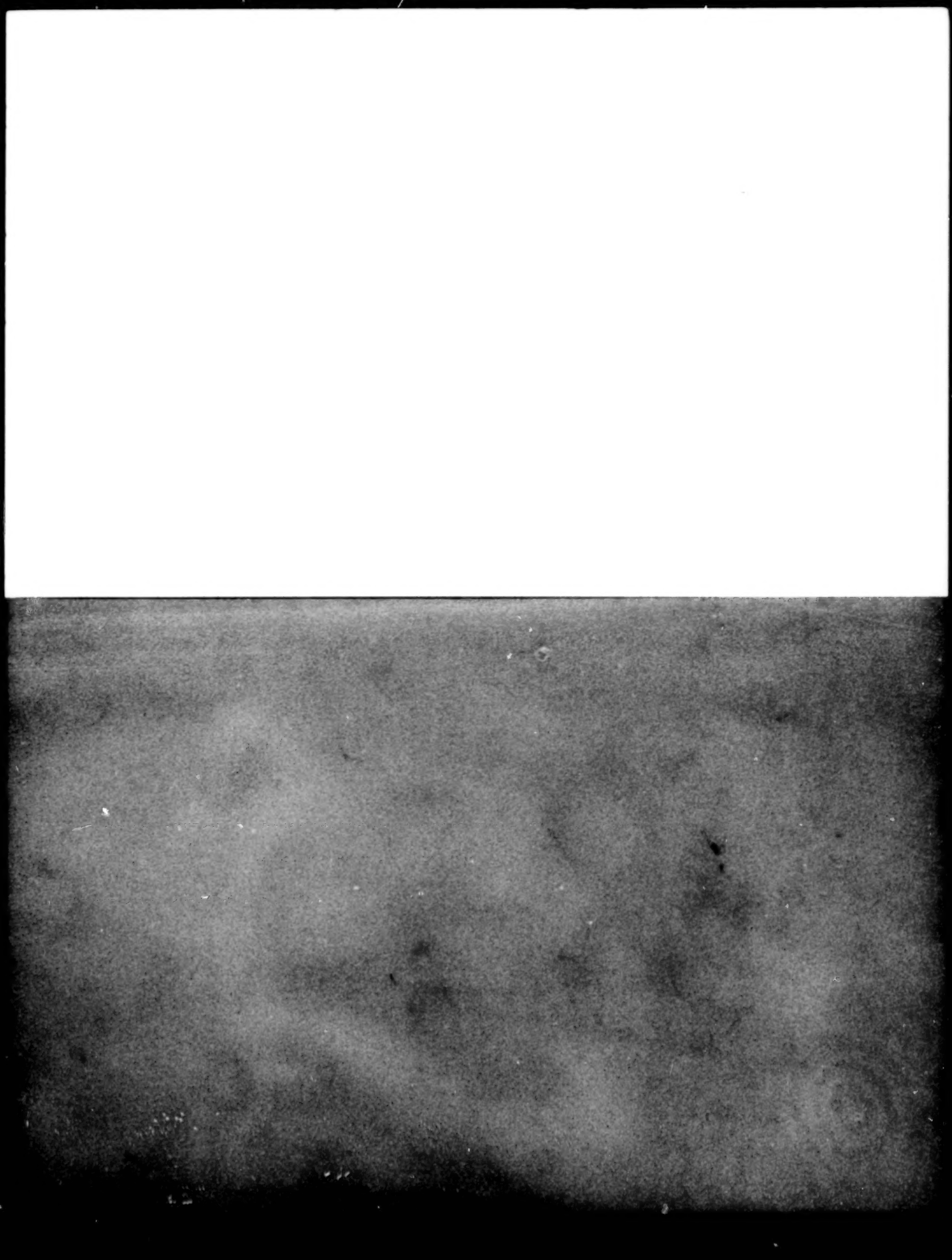
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